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In the Application of:

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PROVIDE WORD-LEVEL FLOW CONTROL USING SPARE LINK

BANDWIDTH

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the non-final Office Action mailed June 12, 2008 ("Office Action") in the above-identified application. The Applicant requests entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks.

Application № 10/644,204 Reply to Office Action of June 12, 2008

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.